



BYRON  
*Bernard*  
JACKSON SR.

AUGUST 1, 1955 - AUGUST 28, 2026

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2026  
11:00 A.M.

BREAD OF LIFE MINISTRIES OF HIS GLORY  
2721 CORAN LANE, LAS VEGAS, NV 89106  
MS. SHEILA WHITE, OFFICIANT



# REMEMBERING THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF BYRON *Bernard* JACKSON SR.



Byron Bernard Jackson Sr. was born on August 1, 1955, in Seattle, Washington, to the late Charles Jackson Sr. and Eleanor Jackson.

Byron Bernard Jackson Sr. was a beloved son, husband, father, brother, uncle, grandfather, great-grandfather, godfather, friend, and cherished member of his community.

In 1966, Byron Sr. and his family moved to Las Vegas, Nevada, where he would grow up and make his home. Las Vegas became an important part of his life and the place where he built many relationships and memories that remained with him throughout the years.

Byron Sr. attended and graduated from Western High School in Las Vegas in 1973. Throughout his life, he worked many different jobs and was always willing to help others. He was especially known for helping and serving his community, leaving a positive impact on the lives of those around him.

In 1976, Byron met the love of his life, Lavana Jackson. After building a loving relationship together, they were married in 1991. Their love and commitment spanned 50 years, creating a lasting partnership filled with memories, family, and love.

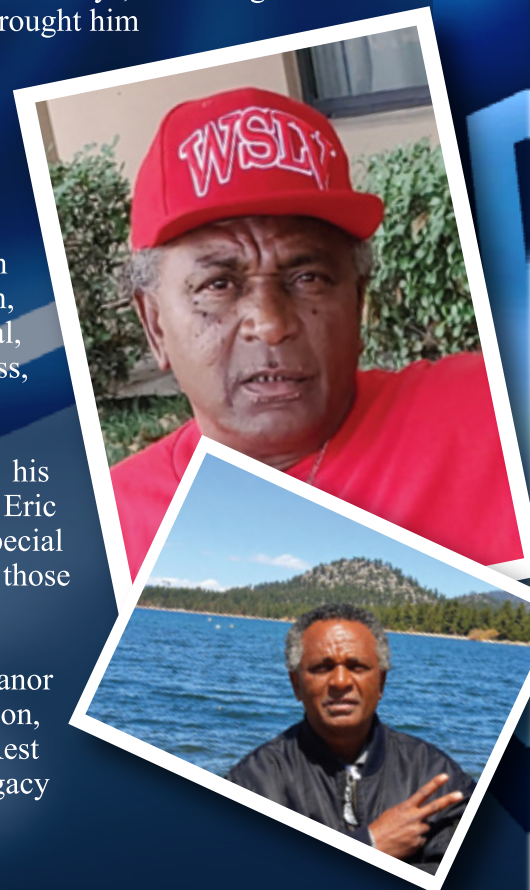
Byron enjoyed listening to old-school music, playing dominos and watching his favorite football team, the Dallas Cowboys. Whether enjoying music, playing dominos, cheering on the Cowboys, or sharing his love of football with family and friends, these were some of the things that brought him joy.

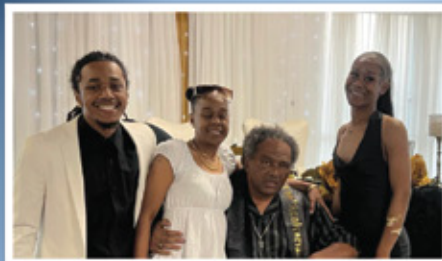
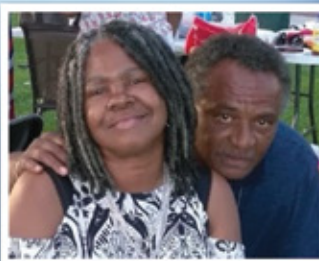
On August 28, 2026, Byron peacefully departed this life at the age of 71.

He leaves behind his beloved wife, Lavana Jackson; his children, Mamee Stewart; Kiplagott Stewart Sr. and his wife, Esmeralda; Kwaku Stewart Sr.; Natanda Jackson; Byron Jackson Jr. and his wife, Karen; and Aljena Jackson and her husband, Floyd. He also leaves behind his cherished grandchildren, Shontavia, Lil'Lamon, Damon, Kiplagott Jr., Kwaku Jr., Kwaii, Myracal, Arturo, Tayvion, Chanty'a, Javon, Avontay, Kwaa'mer, Kwaai'von, Goddess, Trellis, Trelicia, K'Triana, and Byron (BJ).

He also leaves a host of great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and cousins; his goddaughters, Jamice and Vera; his brothers, Charles Jackson Jr. (Mary) and Eric Jackson; sisters-in-law, Vanessa Stewart and Kimberly Roberts; a very special cousin whom he loved, Janet Singleton; extended family; friends; and all those whose lives he touched.

Byron Sr., was preceded in death by his parents, Charles Jackson Sr. and Eleanor Jackson; his brother, Ronnie Jackson; his sister, Patricia Shaw; his grandson, Kiplagott Jr.; and his 2 special cousins, Andre and Kimberly Ridley. Rest peacefully, Byron Bernard Jackson Sr. Your life will be remembered, your legacy will live on, and you will forever be loved.





# CELEBRATING THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF



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| Processional.....                     | Clergy & Family         |
| Old Testament Scripture & Prayer..... | Ms. Sheila White        |
| Musical Selection.....                | Greater Faith Choir     |
| Words of Expression.....              | Two Minutes, Please     |
| Obituary/Poem.....                    | Tiffany Grace           |
| Slideshow.....                        | Jackson Family Memories |
| Musical Selection.....                | Greater Faith Choir     |
| Eulogy.....                           | Aljena Jackson          |

## Closing Speakers

Pastor Kerry Nunley, Pastor Leon Jackson, Eric Jackson & Harold Hankins

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| Recessional..... | Giddens Memorial Chapel Staff |
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## LOVING TRIBUTE

This has had to be the hardest chapter of my life... Watching you go... Saying goodbye... It's funny, because you're aware that life has an ending. It's silly to think anyone could be exempt, but I did, Grandad.

I thought you'd be with us forever... I'm grateful to say that I got to spend 23 years knowing such a great guy. I wish everyone could know the feeling of having your very own Superman. Truly...

Because to know love is to know you. So, if you're listening...

Thank you, Grandad. Thank you for your love. Thank you for your light.

Thank you for your endless support. Thank you for carrying this family on your back.

And most importantly, Thank you for fighting until the very end. We'll never forget you.

Save some room up there for us, Grandaddy.

Until we meet again...

-K'Triana



## IN LOVING MEMORY OF OUR DAD, BYRON BERNARD JACKSON SR. AKA PO BOY

Good afternoon, everyone.

First, I want to thank each and every one of you for being here today as we gather to celebrate the life of our father, Byron Bernard Jackson Sr. Your presence means more to our family than words can express.

Today is difficult because saying goodbye to someone you love is never easy. But even through the sadness, we feel grateful! Grateful that we were blessed to have our dad in our lives, grateful for the memories we shared, and grateful that his life touched so many people.

Our dad was a man who believed in giving back. He worked as a youth counselor at Focus, where he had the opportunity to encourage and guide young people. He co-opened The Boys Club in Herbert Gerson as a recreation specialist, creating a place where children could learn, grow, and feel supported.

He also worked at the 7-Eleven on Carey and Martin Luther King Boulevard, before it became McNeal's Quick Check. Throughout the years he worked numerous jobs, with his last job working in shipping and receiving at Walmart, where he continued to work until he retired because of an injury.

But our dad's work was never limited to a job or a paycheck. His greatest work was helping people. He was the founder of The Associates Community Activist Group, "Poor People Pulling Together." Through that work, he stood with people and advocated for those who needed support.

Our dad also hosted several Celebration of Life BBQ's—not celebrations of death, but celebrations of life. That says so much about who he was. He believed in bringing people together, enjoying the moment, sharing food, creating memories, and appreciating one another while we were still here. That was Po Boy!!! That was our dad. He was an all-around giver, never a taker.

He gave his time. He gave his energy. He gave his compassion. He gave people encouragement, friendship, and a helping hand. He gave without expecting anything in return. There are things about your parents that you do not fully appreciate until you get older. Sometimes it is their advice. Sometimes it is their strength. Sometimes it is simply knowing that they are there. And when that person is no longer here, you realize just how much of your life was connected to their presence.

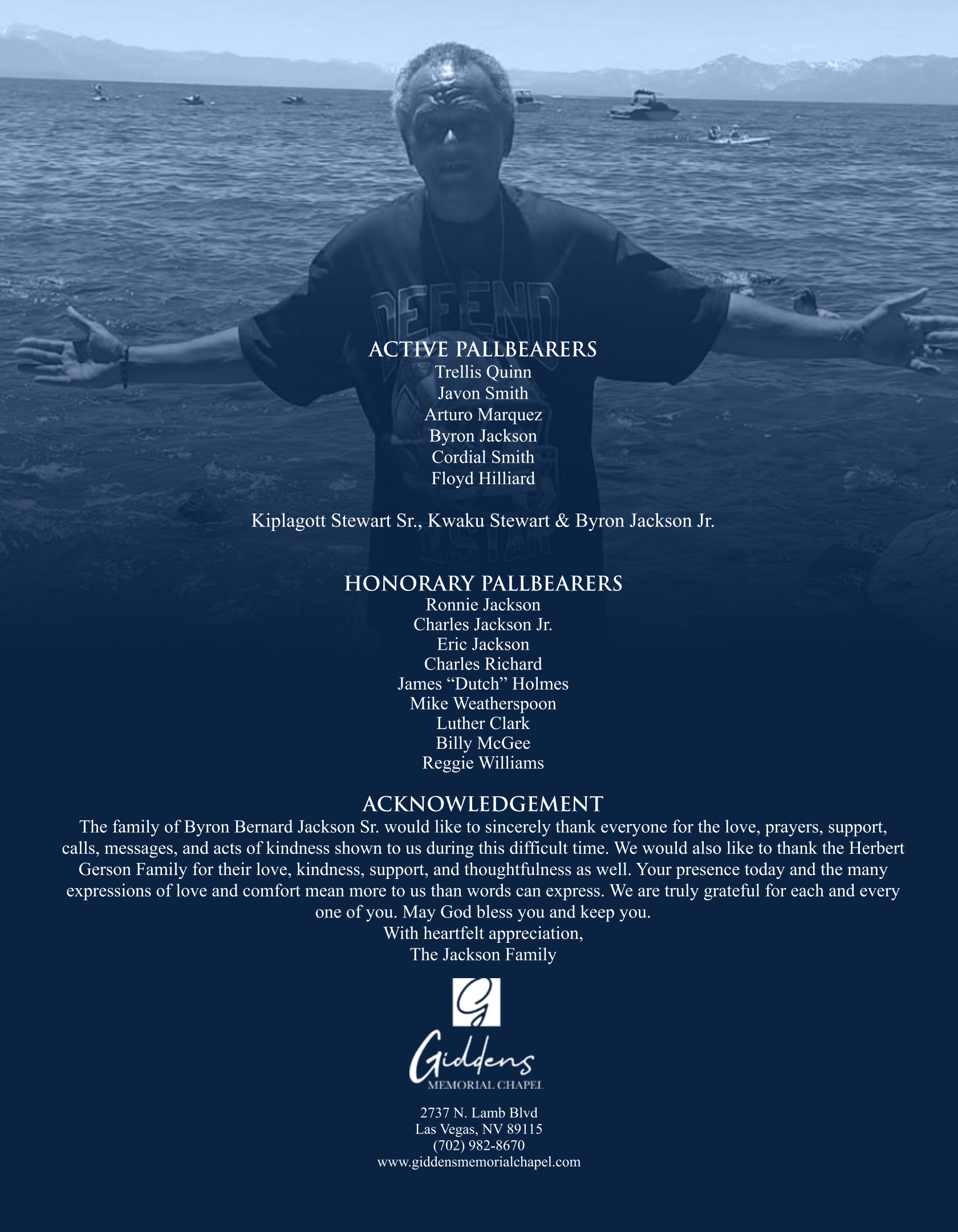
He may no longer be with us physically, but the impact of his life remains. It lives in the people he helped, the family he loved, and the memories we will carry with us.

We love you, Dad.

Your baby girl!

Rest peacefully, Byron Bernard Jackson Sr. aka PoBoy



A man with short grey hair, wearing a dark t-shirt with the word 'DEFEND' in large, light-colored letters, stands in a body of water. His arms are outstretched to the sides. In the background, there are mountains and several small boats on the water.

## ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Trellis Quinn  
Javon Smith  
Arturo Marquez  
Byron Jackson  
Cordial Smith  
Floyd Hilliard

Kiplagott Stewart Sr., Kwaku Stewart & Byron Jackson Jr.

## HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Ronnie Jackson  
Charles Jackson Jr.  
Eric Jackson  
Charles Richard  
James "Dutch" Holmes  
Mike Weatherspoon  
Luther Clark  
Billy McGee  
Reggie Williams

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The family of Byron Bernard Jackson Sr. would like to sincerely thank everyone for the love, prayers, support, calls, messages, and acts of kindness shown to us during this difficult time. We would also like to thank the Herbert Gerson Family for their love, kindness, support, and thoughtfulness as well. Your presence today and the many expressions of love and comfort mean more to us than words can express. We are truly grateful for each and every one of you. May God bless you and keep you.

With heartfelt appreciation,  
The Jackson Family



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